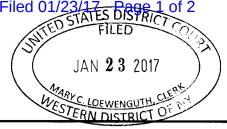
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UNITED STATES DISTRCT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK



EMERALD INT'L HOLDINGS LTD

Plaintiff,

Vs

Notice of Electronic Filing

Dated January 3, 2017

VERIZON

Defendant,

DOCKET NO: 16-CV-00978

Pursuant to the Notice of Electronic Filing dated January 3, 2017 regarding representation of Emerald International Holdings Ltd, we have the following response:

New York's First Department and the Second Department each have held that an individual assignee of a Corporation may sue without a lawyer. (Trakman v City of New York, 182 A.D. 2d 814, 815(2d Dept, 1992); see also, Kinlay v Henley, 57 A.D. 3d 219, 220, 858 N.Y.S. 2d 62(1st Dept, 2008); Kamp v Sportswear, Inc., 39 A.D. 2d 869, 332 NYS 2d 983 (1st Dept. 1972), rev'g on dissenting opinion below, 70 Misc 2d 898, 335 NYS 2d 306 (App. Term 1972))

Unless we hear otherwise we will assume that this alleviates any lingering concerns and we can proceed with our representation of Emerald International Holdings Ltd.

Dated:

Buffalo, New York January 17, 2017

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